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In re application of:
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For: MOTOR WITH STATOR HAVING
INNER CORES AND OUTER
CORES

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 4, 2002, the time for response to which is extended three months by the accompanying petition from February 4, 2003 to May 5, 2003 (May 4 having been a Sunday), please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add the following new claims 12-16:

12. (New) A motor defining an axial direction, the motor comprising:

a plurality of core pairs, each of the core pairs consisting of an inner core and an outer core, arranged next to each other along the axial direction such that the inner cores are in contact with each other; a coil wound around each of the core pairs; and